## WITH THE FARMERS

By Prof. W. F. MASSEY



rish potato is best o plant now?" seed to grow in spring. You can get of the lrish Cobbler potato from the Richmond seedsmen, seed that have been kept in cold storage. These will make a good fall crop, and will also make the best seed for the spring planting.

Getting Humus.

Mont are all well suited to the growth of the majority of the apples planted in commercial orchards.

But as is generally known, the famous Albemarle pippin is rather choice as to the soil it will thrive in. The will not bear good pippins unless they have the soil conditions founds but

ave only been in Virginta since ctober (Fluvanna County), and hing is new to me. I have a facing south that has been cultivated till there is no vegetable matter in it, and it packs badly. I have, thought of putting it in buckwheat and sowing crimson clover with ter topdressing with manure, drain to save the buckwheat grain and kept

Drilling buckwheat and then sowing mountain coves. well, and harrow in 300 pounds of acid phosphate and twenty pounds of muriate of potash an acre. Then drill the buckwheat and sow the clover seed, and brush these in with a smoothing harrow. In the spring plow under what the chickens leave and sow can be applied to the clover seed, and brush these in with a smoothing what the chickens leave and sow can be applied to the potation of the clark the spring plow under what the chickens leave and sow can be applied to the property of the general dismissed. Thomas Baker, colored, waived a preliminary examination on the charge of feloniously assaulting Barzina Bolling, and the case was sent to the Hustings Court. harrow. In the spring plow under what the chickens leave and sow cowpeas; let them completely mature, and disk them down and plow them under, and you can then sow a mixture of ten pounds of orchard grass, ten pounds of the case was sent to the Hustings Court.

Florence Rogers, colored, was held for grand jury action on the charge of having in her possession and sell-

From Dinwiddie County: "We are having trouble with the canning of green peas and snap beans. Though we green peas and snap beans. Though we western Maryland. West Virginia. Western Maryland. Western Maryland. Western Maryland. boil them in the canner from one and a half to two and a half hours, they sour." I am sorry that this is entirely North

A Run-Down Fairfax Farm.

grass sod if stock are turned on it at once. By sowing rye, grimson clover and Italian rye, grass among the corn you can get some good early spring and summer pasture, but it will probably grow very scanty later in summer. Then you cannot eat your cake and keep it, too. You cannot bring up run-down land by merely sowing something to be eaten off at once. Grazing, and a good sod cannot be put on poor



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apples, but are of such a steep and rocky character they cannot be plowed. nd plum trees I have had a very successful orchard grown from seed timber had been newly cleared off it, than grafted? If and the soil was evidently good. But

when should seed be plant.
What kind of h potato is best when should the fast rocks stuck out all over it, and it was not practicable to plow it. We did not even attempt to get the trees in regular rows or at uniform distance. distances apart, but planted them where the soil would allow the hole to dug. In the rich virgin soll they throve finely, and that orchard made from seed will make thrifty trees. But the largest Winesap apples I ever saw you do not know whether you will get But this does not mean that it is fruit or poor, and the chances not better to break the land completely

will grow anywhere in you will get in the fruit is to Virginia if they are properly planted trees that have been budded in and cared for. But as with every plant, plant trees that have been budded in a nursery. But if you want to raise some seedlings, the seed must be plant, ed in the fall, so that the frost will act upon the hard shells and enable the seed will suited to the growth

have the soil conditions found in but a few localities. Going up one of the little valleys in the ragged mountains of Albemarle, one reaches a point where the red clay soil suddenly steps short off, and there is a dark mellow humus soil alled with broken rock debris from the mountain sides, but well drained thereby, and at the same time if, after topdressing with manure. Then, to save the buckwheat grain and have the clover for winter picking of poultry and to be turned under in the spring, will the buckwheat smother the clover, and would you advise doing it? This piece of land washes badly, and I would like to get it into permanent grass as soon as practicable to get it into condition."

drained thereby, and at the same time kept perpetually moist from the mountain springs. This is pippin soil, and while any apple will thrive there, the pippin will not thrive profitably under any other conditions. The fertile soil, the good drainage and the permanent grass as soon as practicable to get it into condition.

A fine of \$50 and costs was imposed upon Irene Rose, colored, for shooting at and attempting to kill the condition.

The same conditions that are es- on July 12. sential to success with the pippin are the best for any other apple. Hence it is easy to see that a soil abounding in vegetable decay is as important was not sustained, and the case was

pounds of orchard grass, ten pounds of Kentucky blue grass and five pounds of red top an acre. Then, to keep the grass good, top dress it every spring will be found to sustain the tree and droughty conditions better than the poor clay soil. And it, too, can be improved while growing the trees.

Virginia, East Tennessee, North Carolina and No out of my line. Canners may use a South Carolina and Georgin constitutes little boracic acid as a preservative, the finest apple-growing section of the but this does not help the wholesome. United States, Oregon and the Pacific ness of the product. I hope that some Coast produce apples of great size of our readers who have had success and beauty, but in quality they are

taken out and put in fresh water over-night, and will then cook as nicely as when fresh from the garden.

Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia.

Those fined occupied dwellings owned
be had gives the Tidewater grower an
advantage. Large areas are now by George W. Bragg, colored, which are advantage. Large areas are now situated in I planted in Delaware of the Stayman, and Fourth.

A Run-Down Fnirfax Farm.

"I have just bought a run-down farm in Fairfax County, and would like to have your advice. I want to feed and graze cattle. There is a field that I want to graze next year, and part of it is in corn. Would you sow rye, crimson clover and grass at last working of the corn about the middle of July? I want to build up the land and at the same time make expenses. Will be almost compelled to graze this field next year."

Of course, in order to pasture a field, there must be something on it for cattle to eat, and it is hard to get a grass sod if stock are turned on it at once. By sowing rye, crimson clover grower said to me that he was warned once. By sowing rye, crimson clover grower said to me that he was warned to have just the production of early summer apples. As I write this, a neighbor reports that he has sold his Yellow Transparent apples in New York for \$2.75 a bushel, and in various parts of the Eastern Shore peninsulate to eat, and it is hard to get a grower said to me that he was warned once. By sowing rye, crimson clover grower said to me that he was warned to have just the best of all winter apples in my estimation, and these are put into cold storage, and sold at good prices during the winter,

But the Tidewater sections have an other advantage in the production of early summer apples. As I write this, a neighbor reports that he has sold his Yellow Transparent apples, like the Yellow Transparent, Red Astrakan and a few others, have been found more profitable than the winter apples. One grower said to me that he was warned on the production of the corn.

seaches are series.

Thing to be eather of at one. Graining cattle means something for grazing card is made and so and a series of the state you like you can gree of the state you like you greet had not you will have you greet had not you will have you greet had you greet had not you greet had you will have you greet had you will h

trees still hearing fruit, which were planted in 1823.

Hence it pays well to give the soil the deepest and best preparation Much has been said of late in regard to subsoiling the holes for the trees with dynamite. I have never tried this, but it has been done to some extent in this neighborhood, and it remains to be seen whether it is of great advantage over a good subsoil plow. At any rate, make the preparation as deep and complete as the soil will allow.

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Police Justice Crutchfield had a busy day yesterday when he disposed of

at and attempting to kill John Criss

Gus Mallo and John Pettus were con-victed of selling whiskey and beer without a license, and each were fined \$100 and costs and placed under \$500 bond for the costs. ionths. Both appealed.
Fines of \$5 each were imposed upon by

parents of four boys for allowing the latter to fire rifles in the streets. Those fined were Mrs. Lucy Harris, Mrs. F. D. Graves, J. H. Bowry and Floyd Hughes

L. M. Foster was fined \$10 for oper-ating an automobile without a license.

of our readers who have had success in canning these things will tell us how. So far as the snaps are concerned, they are so easily preserved in strong brine that there is no need for canning them. I grow a late crop and put them down in brine in stone jars for winter use, and then they can be taken out and put in fresh water overnight, and will then cook as nicely as when fresh from the garden.

Ass. produce apples of great size and beauty, but in quality they are for violating the segregation Ordinance Violation.

Four negroes were fined 3100 each for violating the segregation ordinance by living in a community where white good apples can be produced commercially here clear to the coast. While the apples of the mountain section are better keepers in winter, the abundant cold storage room now to be had gives the Tidewater grower and These fined occupied dwellow. by living in a community where white residents predominate in rlimbers. The defense admitted the charge, but declared the law was unconstitutional, and appealed to the Hustings Court and appealed to the Hustings Court derstood that in the main it will be an arm of Chesapeake.

## Goodbye Dandruff 'BILLY' KERN HAS

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# POTOMAC OYSTER

Report of Joint Commission Goes to Governors of Two States Shortly.

BLUE MAKING WATER TESTS

No Pollution Found in Oyster Beds Sixty-Three Miles Below Washington.

The character of Potomac River oysters will be fully vindicated in a report of a joint commission to be submitted to Governor Mann shortly. The report has been agreed upon though its full text will not be made public until it is submitted to the Gov-ernor of Virginia and the Governor of Maryland. The report will give in de-tail the results of three inspections of the oysten beds at different seasons of the year In order to make assurance doubly sure, Governor Mann has requested Surgeon-General Blue, of the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service to have a careful examination made of the water of the Potomac River, and this is now in progress. When completed, it will progress. When completed, it will form a valuable basis on which the States of Virginia and Maryland can go before longress and ask that proper equipment be installed to purify or sterilize the sewerage of Wash-ington city before it empties into the Industry Greatly Injured.

Meanwhile, the eyster industry on the Potomac River has been greatly injured by the agitation. Some months ago an employe of the United States a partial or superficial examination of the Potomac River oyster beds, made a report which seriously questioned their healthfulness. Alarmed by the the one hand, should the report be correct, and by the camage to a large industry on which many people were dependent for a living should it be incorrect, Governor Mann proposed a thorough investigation by experts rep Goldsborough. commission was made up of eriologist and one chemist the United States Department of Agri the local authorities, former Secretary of Agriculture Wilson appointed as of the government agents the man who had made the superficial examina-tion and report which caused the tion and report which caused the trouble, thus petting him in position

Three times this commission has gone over the oyster beds on boats furnished by the Fish Commissioners of Virginia and Maryland. A great deal of laboratory work has been done and garbage from the commission trademany samples examined. Of course, districts hereafter, in the same manner that there was pollution in the Potomac River immediately below the mouth of the Washington city sewers nearest oyster beds are sixty-three miles down the Potomac from Washington, the river for the greater part of that way being a wide stretch of

clared the law to the Hustings Court and appealed to the Hustings Court. The cases will likely be carried to the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. Those fined occupied dwellings owned by George W. Bragg, colored, which are situated in Leigh Street, between Third and Fourth.

derstood that in the man entire vindication of the Potomac River oyster beds; that it will recommend a line across the river above which no oysters be taken, and that it will recommend that no oysters be planted near the mouth of certain creeks.

The tests of Potomac River water of The tests of Potomac River water now being made under direction of Surgeon-General Blue, at the request of Governor Mann, are without reference to the location of the

# RIDING ACCIDENT

Son of United States Senator Sustains Fracture of

him, and he, in company with Dr. Rhodes, of Jefferson Hospital, respond- ING. Best work at shortest twenty-five minutes after notice.

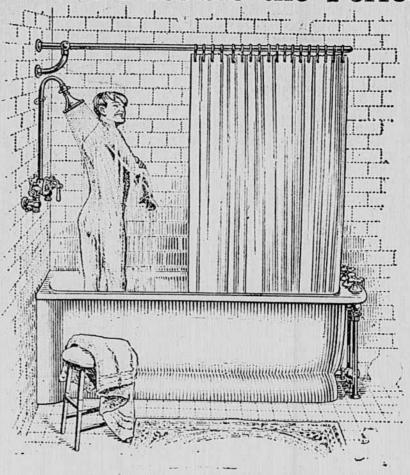
It was found that the right leg of the little fellow was broken about half way between the knee and hip and that was bruised considerably by the i. He was given the necessary atfall. He was given the necessary at-tention and was brought to the Jefferon Hospital in this city this after

His mother, Mrs. Kern, and sister, Miss Julia Kern, who were at the sum-mer home, were sent for at once and arrived at about the same time as the physicians. They are now with him His father, who is in Washington, was nformed of the accident by telegraph.

f the firemen. Miss Jennie Dodge and upants of the cottage.

Miss Wilson was induced to come to Eaglesmere by her sister, Miss Jessie Wilson, who stopped at the Crestment man of the School Girls' Conference held under the direction of the National Board of the Young Women's

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### hauling refuse garbage from the district designated, as well as from the various hotels of the city. Pending a eport on this matter, the department ordered in the meantime to serve commission district with the pres it equipment. President Wheelwright, of the Vir-

ginia Railway and Power Company was requested by the board to name : Board Meets Complaint of Commission Men Against Street

Cleaners.

The Street Cleaning Department was

Was requested by the board to name a price for that strip of the company's property needed by the crty for widening the southern approach to the new Mayo Bridge. An early reply was requested to enable the board to take at once under consideration the purchase of the property. of the property

Mayor Ainsies communication sub-mitting a complaint from citizens of North Tenth Street, touching the con-dition of the public dump in that vi-cinity, was referred to the Superintendent of the Street Cleaning Depart.

In order that the examination into is mental condition can be completed, brought to the Henrico County Jail suicide by publishing the intimate yesterday from Buckingham, where he declarations of circulation and owner-

were made.

Judge Scott Appoints Commission. Judge R. Carter Scott, of Henrico Circuit Court, was appointed to hold the June term of the Buckingham Cir-cuit Court, and on representation by counsel that their client was insane or-dered a commission of lunacy held. Drs. A. S. Priddy and Beverly P. Tucker and Dr. Drewry were appointed, with instructions to report their findings to the August term of court. Should they decide that Glover is responsible his act, he will probably be placed on trial at that term.

Glover is said to be indifferent to his fate, but his family has employed the best legal talent available. Among Among or shopping bag. A safe, sure remthose who appeared for the defense at the first hearing of the commission were Congressman Hal Floed and Moon & Pitts. Senator Gayle, who has also been retained, has been seriously ill. Commonwealth's Attorney Hubard is being assisted in the prosecution by

Aubrey E. Strode.

The trouble between Hanes and Glover is said to have existed for some time, and started over the attentions the former was paying to a young girl near his home, Well Water, Buckingham County. Glover, it is said, invited the girl to go buggy riding, but she refused on the grounds that she had an engagement to go walking with Hanes. On several other occasions with Hanes. On several other occasions she is said to have shown preference for the younger man. Glover is thirty years old, while the murdered boy was in his sixteenth year.

WOMEN ATTACKED BY YOUNG NEGRO

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Alexandria, Va., July 24.—A "hugger and kisser" made his appearance here at 8:20 o'clock last night, and attacked at 8:20 o'clock last night, and attacked three young white women. According to the police, he kissed one and grabbed the others around the waist. All three made an outcry and he ran away. Later the negro, about eighteen years old, was pursued by a crowd of men and boys, but he eluded capture. The police say that the names of his victims were Misses Cronk, Davis and Gaines. Practically every member of the Police Department, following the first report of his operations, which was at port of his operations, which was at 8:30 o'clock, started out in his pursuit, and to-day the search was resumed

without results.

All Sixty-Eight Local Publications Have Observed Newspaper Publicity Edict.

The predicted conflict of will between the sixty-eight local newspaper and magazine publishers and the ers and editors of periodicals. Postmaster Edgar Allan, Jr., has filed away the statements of all sixty-eight, and will forward them to Washington at

At the time the law became effective it was freely predicted that many of t Robertson Glover, slayer of six-n-year-old Meade Hanes, was submit to the inevitable commercial

the accused to this city to make the personal tests.

Glover stands charged with the murder of young Hanes, which was one of the most brutal killings in the annals of Buckingham. The murder occurred May 5, and is said to have been caused by jealousy, it being the general opinion that Glover shot Hanes, whom he considered his rival in love. No other cause of animosity can be discovered. Hanes, together with a farm hand, was working on his father's farm when a 'man came up on horseback and opened fire on the defenseless youth. Three of five bullets struck the boy and penetrated vital parts. Death was almost instantaneous. Following the shorting Glover rode to Buckingham (Courthouse, where he sought out the sheriff and surrendered. Feeling ran high, and many threats of violence were made.

Held for Robbing Greeny.

Held for Robbing Grocery.

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